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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$438.
 - \$270 for 30 total claims over 20.
 - \$168 for 4 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
 - A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Chun-Su Yuan

Serial No.: 09/974,749

Filed: October 9, 2001

For: GINSENG BERRY EXTRACTS AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS FROM GINSENG BERRY FOR THE TREATMENT OF TYPE 2 DIABETES

AND OBESITY

Group Art Unit: 1614

Examiner: Unknown

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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b), dated November 19, 2001, there are enclosed herewith:

- (a) Declaration executed on behalf of Chun-Su Yuan;
- (b) A Power of Attorney on behalf of UC Tech;

(c) Our check in the amount of \$873.00 to cover the basic filing fee (\$370.00 - utility small entity); surcharge for late filing (\$65.00); additional claims

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An Assignment to UC Tech and a check for \$40.00 are being filed under separate cover.

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Respectfully submitted,

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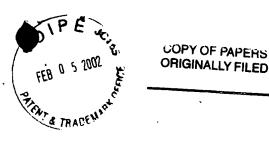
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- (3) Power of Attorney;
- **(4)** Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)-Filing Date Granted;
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